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Cambuslang hit by goal blitz

A SECOND-HALF goal blitz by East Kilbride blasted Cambuslang Rangers out of the Regional Cup last night.

In this third round tie at Somervell Park, the East Kilbride side never gave Cambuslang the time to settle down and put on a show of chance-snatching at its

best. Louden got the opening goal three minutes after the interval with a well-struck shot.

Three minutes later Louden struck again. The Cambuslang defence appeared slow to see the danger and Louden was unmarked to push the ball past keeper White.

In the 61st minute Stewart crashed home a spectacular 25-yard drive for goal No. 3.

Cambuslang were well beaten and can't look forward to their two Cup clashes against Irvine Meadow tomorrow in the West of Scotland Cup and on Friday in the Drybrough Cup.

East Kilbride now meet Forth Wanderers in the Regional Cup.

FOOTBALL YESTERDAY

Central Regional Cup—Third round—Cambuslang 0, East Kilbride 3 (Louden 2, Stewart); Semi final—Hettleston 2 (McIntosh, Barton), Arkhall Thistle 2 (Chalmers, Duff).

Alexander Cup—Semi-final—Anchor 1, St Mirren Amateur F.C. 1; Renvale 2, Craigielea Star 1.

Glasgow Juvenile Cup—Semi final—Glencairn Juveniles 2 (Docherty), Gold Star 5 (Prior 4, King).

Clark Cup—Quarter final—Johnstone Select 1, Pollok St Conv's 4.

Scottish Welfare Cup—Final—Waverley Thistle 1, Winchburgh 0.

Glasgow Secondary Juvenile Cup—Final—Ashfield 2 (Cairns 2), St Teresa's 3 (Graham 2, Leonard).

Daily Record Cup—Cathcart and District League (Final)—Cathkin Utd. 1, Croftfoot Utd. 4.

German International Youth Cup (Final)—S.C. Norn Gamund 0, Eastercraigs 0 (Eastercraigs won 5-3 on penalties).

European Youth Tournament (Final)—Botofoga (Brazil) 2, Kiev Dynamo 0. Third place play-off—Rangers 0, A.C. Milan 0 (Rangers won 4-3 on penalties).

... AND TODAY

Glasgow Boys' League Cup Final—Busby Boys' Club v Cathkin United (Barrowfield Park, 7.15).

Airdrie babe moves to Falkirk

JOHN WHITEFORD, of Airdrie, last night signed for Falkirk.

And he is so keen to do well that he has agreed to give up his job as a P.T. teacher.

And Falkirk also sacked Alex Ferguson as coach, but he will continue as a player.

Whiteford's comeback attempt at 21 is remarkable. He injured ligaments so badly last year that surgeons had to perform a tendon transplant. He played only a few games at the start of last season and then a handful in the reserves in the last few weeks. He had to hobble around on crutches after being in hospital.

Whiteford was also very much in Hearts' plans. Manager Bobby Seith wanted him to go to Tynecastle for training to see how he matched up.

But John Prentice moved in swiftly for

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he has fancied Whiteford for some time. He is the Falkirk manager's first signing since rejoining at Brockville.

Ferguson was told yesterday that he has lost his job as coach. "It's a blow," he said, "but I will have to accept the situation and concentrate on getting in the groove again as a player."

'REJECT' THREAT TO ENGLAND

GIORGIO CHINAGLIA, the Italian-Welshman who was on the soccer scrap-heap in England only six years ago, is in line for his biggest personal achievement—leading Italy's attack against England in Turin on Thursday.

Chinaglia, 24, a former Cardiff schools player, is now a goal scoring star with Italian First Division club Lazio. He helped Italy to a 2-0 win over World Champions Brazil, in Rome at the weekend as a second-half substitute for Luigi Riva.

Yet he was given a free transfer by English Fourth Division side Swansea at 18!

Chinaglia, 6 ft 2 in, has played five times for Italy since Swansea rejected him as not being League material.

Chinaglia returned disillusioned to the northern Italian marble town of Carrara, his birthplace. After his Swansea flop—he played only four first team games with the Welsh club—and signed for the local Third Division side.

Later, he joined Second Division club Inter-Naples, who sold him to Lazio three years ago for a fee of around £150,000.

Now his dash and bravery have made him a big money target of top clubs Juventus and Inter-Milan.

"I thought I had done a job on the coaching side for Falkirk, but the club apparently didn't agree."

Prentice explained that he would be coaching himself along with trainer Ronnie McKenzie.

Falkirk would, in fact, be prepared to let Ferguson go even though he has two years of his contract to run.

Suspension

Ferguson added: "Obviously I want to go into coaching and management, but at 31 I can play for a good bit yet."

He can't start until September, though, for he will be under S.F.A. suspension from August 11 to 31 after being sent off at Aberdeen.

Another Scottish star in the news is Aberdeen's midfielder man Ian Taylor, who signed a new contract yesterday... but stressed he still wants away from the Pittodrie club!

Taylor, whose month-old transfer request has yet to be considered by the board, will benefit from improved terms in the new season.

When his transfer request is discussed he is certain to get a negative answer because he will be needed in midfield next season, now that Steve Murray has gone to Celtic.